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RE: Application of Pine Haven Water System for Approval of Water Rates, Terms

and Conditions

Docket No. 2010-35-W

Dear Ms. Boyd:

The purpose of this letter is to inform the Commission that the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") and Carroll Norman, the only parties in this matter, are currently in settlement negotiations. Pursuant to ongoing negotiations, ORS will not be filing direct testimony on August 19, 2010. The parties have agreed that ORS will file testimony on August 26, 2010 in order to better inform the Commission of any issues in this matter.

Thank you for your consideration and should you have any questions or concerns, please contact us.

Very truly yours,

C. Lessie Hammonds

cc: Carroll Norman